

FISCAL NOTE

HB 586 - SB 1177

February 13, 2001

SUMMARY OF BILL: Specifies that the driver of a vehicle overtaking another vehicle on any interstate, multi-lane divided highway or roadway with at least 2 lanes traveling in the same direction must pass on the left and return to the right hand lane as soon as safely practicable. Specifies that no driver shall drive in the left hand lane if the right one is unoccupied and safe. Specifies that violators of these provisions shall receive a warning citation for a first offense, be liable for a \$20 fine for a second offense, and a \$50 fine for third or subsequent offenses.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenues – Less than \$100,000
Increase State Expenditures - \$15,000 One-Time

Estimate assumes:

- a one-time increase in state expenditures for computer system changes.
- an increase in state revenues from fees collected from second and subsequent offenses under the provisions of the bill. The amount of fees collected depends on the level of enforcement and is estimated to be less than \$100,000.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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